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SUBJ: EARTHQUAKE REHABILITATION
REF: STATE 046146

1. WE VERY MUCH APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S PROMPT AND PRAGMATIC RESPONSE (REF A) TO OUR REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVES TO NEGOTIATING EARTHQUAKE REHABILITATION GRANT AGREEMENT WITH GOR.
2. IN FEBRUARY 23 MEETING WITH DPM PATAN AND MFT DIRECTOR STANCA, AMBASSADOR REVIEWED VARIOUS ALTERNATIVES OUTLINED IN REF A. PATAN RESPONDED FAVORABLY ONLY TO POSSIBILITY OF AID PROCUREMENT OF \$13 MILLION OF GOODS AND SERVICES AS WAS DONE UNDER \$7 MILLION PROGRAM. PATAN REQUESTED, AND WE AGREED TO ADVISE HIM SOONEST OF HOW THIS APPROACH MIGHT BE IMPLEMENTED.
3. ON QUESTION OF PROBLEMS GOR HAD WITH GRANT AGREEMENT PROTOCOL, PATAN SAID OTHERS IN GOVERNMENT HAD POINTED OUT CONCRETE PROBLEMS INHERENT IN DRAFT AGREEMENT GOR GOR. EXAMPLES OF PROBLEMS WITH GRANT AGREEMENT THAT HE REFERRED TO SPECIFICALLY WERE SECTION 12 ON REFUNDS AND SECTION 11B ON MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS SUBJECT TO AID AUDIT FOR THREE-YEAR PERIOD AFTER DATE LAST DISBURSEMENT.

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PATAN ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT GOR HAS NO PROBLEMS WITH CONDITIONS AFFECTING WHAT ITEMS MIGHT BE PROCURED WITH \$13 MILLION GRANT AND AID NEED TO MONITOR WHERE EQUIPMENT PUT AND TO WHAT USE.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE PROVIDE SOONEST DETAILS ON HOW AID PROCUREMENT OF \$13 MILLION OF

GOODS AND SERVICES FOR GOR MIGHT BE IMPLEMENTED,
AND, IN RESPONSE TO INFORMAL PATAN REQUEST, A SAMPLE
OF KIND OF LETTER GOR SHOULD SUBMIT TO INITIATE PROCESS.
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